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In re Patent Application of:

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Amendment

In response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2003 (Paper No. 10), Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the application in view of comments set forth below.

In the Claims

No claim amendments are presented herein. Below, Applicants include all pending claims for the convenience of the Examiner.